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U.S. Verified Origin—Sealed. 5 Bags Bag
Seamless Bags Extra. or More Lots
Kansas Alfalfa M Brand \$22.00 \$22.25

Kansas, M Brand, Pioneer
Specially-selected hardy strains from pio-
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Oklahoma-Kansas M Brand 20.50 20.75
Oklahoma " 18.00 18.25

Oklahoma Approved—M quality 19.00 19.25
Eligible for AAA award payments Cent. States Region.
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GRIMM—State-sealed, Certified:

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Pur. 99 1/2%, Noxious-free

ARGENTINE Alfalfa \$16.00 \$16.25
Pur. 99.50%, Germ. 90%, Free of Noxious Weeds,
Stained According U. S. Regulations

INCLUDE INOCULATION, Order Group 1.
Alfalfa all new crop. True origin as stated.

SWEET CLOVER

Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Extra. New Crop
White Blossom, M Brand \$6.50 \$6.75
" " Fancy 5.75 6.00
" " Choice 5.00 5.25
" " lot "Card" 5.75 6.00
(Purity 99%, germ. 85%, fair color.)
Clear tag Mo. and Ill.

Yellow Blossom M Brand 6.75 7.00
Unhulled White Bloss. 4.50 4.75
" Yel. " 4.50 4.75

Hubam, Annual, White " Ask for Price
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RED CLOVER

Per 100 lbs.

Bags extra. Domestic. New Crop.

M Brand Pur. 99 1/2% germ. 92%.
Clear Nox. tag, Mo., Ill. Ask

Fancy, " 98 1/2% " 90%.
Clear Nox. tag Mo., Ill. for

Lot "Ajax" Pur. 98.50%, germ. 90%
Fair color, shows Buck; Dodder-Free. Prices

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ALSIKE CLOVER

Per 100 lbs.

Bags Extra

M Brand Ask for
Fancy Prices

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Per 100 Lbs.

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Fancy 38.00 39.00 41.00

VETCHES—Austrian Peas

Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Incl., in 100 lb. bags.

Hairy Winter Vetch, Michigan " \$10.75 \$11.00

" " " Oregon 10.50 10.75

Austrian Winter Peas " 4.90 5.25

SEMESAN—CERESAN—INOCULATION—STIM-U-PLANT [See Other Side]

TIMOTHY

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M Brand \$5.00 \$5.25

Fancy 4.75 5.00

Choice 4.50 4.75

Timothy-Alsike Mixed, Fancy 6.75 7.00

RED TOP

Per 100 Lbs.

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M Brand (Pur. 92% or better) \$10.00 \$10.25

Fancy " 85% " " 9.60 9.85

Choice " 80% " " 9.25 9.50

Superfine " 97% " " 11.00 11.25

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Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Included. New Crop.

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Fancy 19 lb. 17.75 18.00

Superfine 24 lb. 20.00 20.25

" 28 lb. 23.50 23.75

CANADA BLUE GRASS M Brand 18.50 18.75

Domestic Grown. Free of Canada Thistle

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Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Included.

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Fancy 95/90 10.25 10.50

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BERMUDA GRASS

Bags Extra Per 100 Lbs.

M Brand P 98%, G 92% \$23.50 \$24.00

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MIXTURES Attractive cloth bags printed in color

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M Brand, Finest Quality 15c 17c 18c 19 1/2c

Greenvue, Good Quality 13c 15c 16c 17 1/2c

Shady Spot 23c 25c 26c 27 1/2c

Bent Grass Mixture 32c to 37c lb.

SUPER-M Lawn Grass \$22.00 per 100 lbs.

Finest quality, selected heavy high-germinating
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Low prices apply full bags. Prices per lb.

Bent Grass—State-sealed, Cert. 50-lb. bags.

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Bags incl. Per 100 Lbs.

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Fancy—88/90 12.90 13.25

REED CANARY GRASS

Per 100 Lbs.

M Brand \$20.00 \$20.50

Small Lots 25c lb.

RYE GRASS

Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Included. New Crop Domestic.

Domestic—M Brand \$ 6.00 \$ 6.25

Purity 99%, germ. 90%, Noxious-free.

Perennial, Domestic 11.50 11.75

ORCHARD GRASS

Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Included.

M Brand { Specially cleaned against } \$14.50 \$14.75
Noxious Weeds

Standard Fancy 13.75 14.00

SEED GRAINS

Pags incl. Round Per Bu. Less
Lots 25 Bags Less

Seed Rye \$0.68 \$0.72 \$0.75

Winter Barley .72 .75 .78

Beardless Type (Affid.)

Buckwheat (Cwt.)

TURNIP—SPINACH

Per Lb.

100 lb. 50 lb. 25 lbs.

P. T. White Globe \$0.16 \$0.17 \$0.18

P. T. Strapleaf .16 .17 .18

Bloomsdale Spinach .11 .12 .13

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MILLETS—KAFFIR—MILO

Recleaned for Feed Mixing. Per 100 Lbs.

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M BRAND seed, carefully mixed in correct

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Granulated \$2.30 \$2.40 \$2.50

Poultry Litter 2.15 2.25 2.35

" " in 25 lb. jute bags, @ 50c each.

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Vacuum-Cleaned, High Quality.

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100 50 Less
Bales Bales

SILVER CROWN \$2.80 \$2.90 \$3.00

New Fresh Stock Per Bale

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" " Yellow, " 2.15

Flax, Whole 5.50

Poppy Seed 14.00

Bird Thistle 14.00

Pepper Grass 3.00

Plantain 2.00

SUNFLOWER

Per 100 Lbs.

Bags included. 5 Bags Bag
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Poultry Grade \$2.25 \$2.50

Fancy Recleaned 2.50 2.75

Polly-Large, specially cleaned 3.00 3.25

RAPE SEED

Per 100 Lbs.

Bags Included.

Dwarf Essex, recleaned \$6.50 \$6.75

Sweet Bird Rape 7.25 7.50

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EMBRO (Specially Selected, } \$3.75 \$4.00
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M Brand Ask for Price

Crotalaria adapted to almost any kind of soil. Use for
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SEAMLESS BAGS (New and Used)

Full 16 oz. 100 bags per bale.

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Lot 4, Sound, bright, but patched, @ 17c each.

Lot 5, Patched, stained, marked, @ 12c each.

M BRAND INOCULATION

A HUMUS CULTURE

Group 1—Alfalfa, Sweet Clover. Price per Can

" 2—Red and Alsike Clover. Dealer Retail

" 3—Lespedeza (all kinds). Price Price

1/4-Bu. Can (Treats 30 lbs.) \$0.18 \$0.30

1-Bu. " " 60 " .27 .48

2 1/4-Bu. " " 150 " .48 .75

5-Bu. " " 300 " .78 1.15

Group 4—Vetch, Austrian Peas

" 5—Cowpeas.

" 6—Soybeans.

1-Bu. Can (Treats 60 lbs.) .18 .30

2-Bu. " " 120 " .27 .48

5-Bu. " " 300 " .48 .75

10-Bu. " " 600 " .78 1.15

25-Bu. " " 1500 " 1.38 2.00

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SEMESAN

Seed Disinfectants

CERESAN New Improved For Wheat, Barley and Oats. Easily and quickly applied. One pound treats 32 bushels.

Sizes of Packages	Retail Price Per Package	Dealer Price	Packages Per Case
1-lb. tin	\$0.70	\$ 5.60 per doz.	1 doz.
5-lb. "	3.00	13.20 " ½ "	½ "
25-lb. pail	12.75	10.20 per pkg.	1 only

SEMESAN, JR. New Improved — A Dust Disinfectant for Seed Corn. One pound treats 8 Bushels.

2-oz. pkt.	\$.15	\$ 1.10 per doz.	
4-oz. tin	.30	2.20 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	.75	6.00 "	1 "
5-lb. "	3.00	13.50 ½ "	½ "
25-lb. pail	12.50	10.50 per pkg.	1 only
100-lb. D.	45.00	37.00 per Drum	1 only

SEMESAN BEL New Improved — A Dip disinfectant for seed potatoes. (1 pound treats 60 to 80 Bushels.)

4-oz. tin	\$0.45	\$ 3.50 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	1.50	12.00 "	1 "
5-lb. "	6.75	29.70 ½ "	½ "
25-lb. pail	31.00	24.50 per pkg.	1 only

SEMESAN — A General Disinfectant for Vegetable and Flower Seeds or Bulbs, and Certain Plant Diseases.

2-oz. tin	\$0.35	\$ 2.70 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	2.25	18.00 "	1 "
5-lb. "	9.90	44.40 ½ "	½ "

REGULAR CERESAN — For Cotton, Millets Sorghums. One pound treats 5 to 8 Bushels.

1-lb. tin	\$0.70	\$ 5.60 per doz.	1 doz.
5-lb. "	3.00	13.20 ½ "	½ "
25-lb. pail	12.75	10.20 per pkg.	1 only
100-lb. D.	47.60	39.25 "	1 only
300-lb. D.	130.00	110.55 "	1 only

M BRAND INOCULATION

A HUMUS CULTURE

Group		Price per Can	Dealer Price	Retail Price
Group 1—	Alfalfa, Sweet Clover.			
" 2—	Red and Alsike Clover.			
" 3—	Lespedezas (all kinds).			
½-Bu. Can (Treats	30 lbs.)	\$0.18	\$0.30	
1 -Bu. "	" 60 "	.27	.45	
2½-Bu. "	" 150 "	.48	.75	
5 -Bu. "	" 300 "	.78	1.15	
Group 4—	Vetch, Austrian Peas.			
" 5—	Cowpeas.			
" 6—	Soybeans.			
1-Bu. Can (Treats	60 lbs.)	.18	.30	
2-Bu. "	" 120 "	.27	.45	
5-Bu. "	" 300 "	.48	.75	
10-Bu. "	" 600 "	.78	1.15	
25-Bu. "	" 1500 "	1.38	2.00	

CYANOGAS G-FUMIGANT

Size	Dealer Price	Retail Price	Per Case Packing
4 oz.	\$ 0.20 each	\$ 0.30 each	1 doz.
5 lb.	2.10 "	3.00 "	20
25 lb.	7.50 "	10.00 "	4
100 lb.	20.00 "	25.00 "	1

CYANOGAS A-DUST

½ lb.	\$.30 each	\$.45 each	8 doz.
1 lb.	.50 "	.75 "	4 "
5 lb.	2.10 "	3.00 "	20 cans
25 lb.	7.50 "	10.00 "	4 "
100 lb.	20.00 "	25.00 "	1 "

McQUEEN'S INOCULATION

Group		Price per Can	Dealer Price	Retail Price
Group 1—	Alfalfa, Sweet Clover.			
" 2—	Red and Alsike Clover.			
½ Bu. Can (Treats	30 lbs.)	\$0.18	\$0.30	
1 -Bu. "	" 60 "	.27	.45	
2½-Bu. "	" 150 "	.48	.75	
Group 4—	Vetch, Austrian Peas.			
½ Bu. Can (Treats	30 lbs.)	\$0.18	\$0.30	
1 ½ Bu. "	" 100 "	.27	.45	
16 ½ Bu. "	" 1000 "	1.50	2.25	
Group 5—	Lespedeza (all kinds), Cowpeas.			
" 6—	Soybeans.			
1-Bu. Can (Treats	60 lbs.)	\$0.18	\$0.30	
2-Bu. "	" 120 "	.27	.45	
5-Bu. "	" 300 "	.48	.75	
10 & 20 Bu. size for	Soybeans only.			
10-Bu. "	" 600 "	.78	1.15	
20-Bu. "	" 1200 "	1.25	1.75	

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CONCENTRATED PLANT FOOD IN TABLET FORM
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No. per Package	Packages Per Carton	Dealer Price Per Carton	Dealer Price Per Package	Retail Price Per Package
10 Tablets	10	\$0.60	\$0.06	\$0.10
30 Tablets	10	1.50	.15	.25
100 Tablets45	.75
500 Tablets	1.50	2.50
1000 Tablets	2.10	3.50

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SEED CHART

SEED	Weight per Bu.	Pounds per Acre	TIME OF SEEDING
Alfalfa	60	15-20	March, May—August, September
Alsike Clover	60	6-10	January, April—August, October
Barley	48	72-96	March, April—September
Bermuda Grass	40	5-10	March—June
Blue Grass (Lawns: 1 lb. 200 sq. ft.)	14	30-40	February, June—August, October
Buckwheat	48	48-60	May—July
Cane, Fodder	50	50-65	May—July
Corn, Field	56	7-10	May—July
Corn, Ensilage	56	30-35	May—July
Clover, Alsike	60	6-10	January, April—August, October
Clover, Bur (Hulled)	60	15-20	August—November
Clover, Crimson	60	15-20	July—October
Clover, Japan	25	25-30	February—May
Clover, Red	60	10-12	January, April—August, November
Clover, Sweet	60	15-25	January, May—July, September
Clover, Sweet (Unhulled)	40	25-40	November—February
Clover, White (Lawns: 1 lb. 400 sq. ft.)	60	3-5	February, June—August, October
Cowpeas (Drilled)	60	45-70	May—August
Johnson Grass	28	20-30	April—July
Kaffir Corn—Milo Maize	56	20-30	May—July
Lawn Grass (Lawns: 1 lb. 200 sq. ft.)	25	150-200	February, April—August, October
Lespedeza, Korean	25	15-25	February—May
Lespedeza, Common (Japan Clover)	25	25-30	February—May
Meadow Fescue	24	25-35	March, May—August, September
Millet, German	50	40-50	May—July
Millet, Hungarian	48	40-50	May—July
Millet, Japanese	35	25-40	May—July
Oats	32	50-75	March—May
Orchard Grass	14	20-25	March, May—August, October
Pasture Mixture	25	25-35	March, June—August, October
Rape, Dwarf Essex	56	6-10	April—September
Redtop, Solid (Measured bu. 32 lbs.)	14	8-12	February, June—August, October
Redtop, Unhulled	14	20-30	February, June—August, October
Rye, Winter	56	60-90	July—November
Rye Grass	24	25-35	February, June—August, October
Soybeans (Drilled)	60	30-60	May—August
Sudan Grass	40	15-30	April—July
Sunflower	22	3-6	May—July
Timothy	45	8-12	February, May—August, November
Vetch, Hairy Winter	60	30-50	August—November



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